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Applicant: Stouffer et al.
Serial No.: 10/085,791
Filed: February 28, 2002
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In re application of: Stouffer, et al.

Serial No.: 10/085,791

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Examiner: Yonel Beaulieu

For: PROGRAMMABLE ELECTRONIC DEVICE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
 [] A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
 [X] No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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| INDEP. 4 | MINUS 4 | = 0 | X 100 \$ | X 200 \$ 0 |
| □ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM X 180 \$ | | | | X 360 \$ |
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Respectfully submitted,

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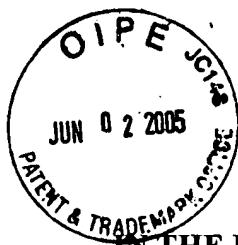

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PATENT APPLICATION

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 1, 2005, please consider the following remarks.

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